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RESPONSE

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed September 29, 2004, Applicants provisionally elect group 1, claims 1-4. Applicants reserve the right to traverse the restriction requirement.

Claims 1-4 are in believed to be in condition for allowance. Applicants respectfully request consideration and prompt issuance of the present application. Should any issue remain that prevents immediate issuance of the application, the Examiner is encouraged to contact the undersigned attorney to discuss the unresolved issue.

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